

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A blocked polyisocyanate comprising the reaction product of:
 - a) nonane triisocyanate;
 - b) a pyrazole blocking agent; and
 - 5 c) a diol or polyol having a number average molecular weight of from about 62 to about 600 andwherein i) the isocyanate to hydroxy equivalent ratio of component a) to component c) is from 1:0.15 to 1:0.6 and ii) the equivalent ratio of isocyanate groups to blocking groups is from 1:0.4 to 1:0.85.
- 10 2. The blocked polyisocyanate of Claim 1, wherein the number average molecular weight of component c) is from about 62 to about 200.
- 15 3. The blocked polyisocyanate of Claim 1, wherein i) the isocyanate to hydroxy equivalent ratio of component a) to component c) is from 1:0.15 to 1:0.25 and ii) the equivalent ratio of isocyanate groups to blocking groups is from 1:0.75 to 1:0.85.
- 20 4. The blocked polyisocyanate of Claim 1, wherein said pyrazole blocking agent is selected from the group consisting of 3,5-dimethylpyrazole, 4-nitro-3,5-dimethylpyrazole, 4-benzyl-3,5-dimethylpyrazole, methyl-5-methylpyrazole-3-carboxylate, pyrazole, 3-methyl-5-phenylpyrazole, 3-methylpyrazole, 4-bromo-3,5-dimethylpyrazole and 3,5-dimethylpyrazole-4-carboxanilide.
- 25 5. The blocked polyisocyanate of Claim 1, wherein said pyrazole blocking agent is 3,5-dimethylpyrazole.